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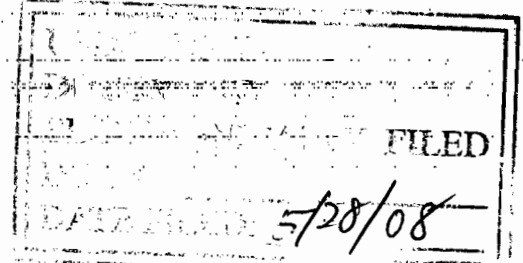
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May 27, 2008

Via facsimile-212-805-7942

Honorable Alvin K. Hellerstein
United States Courthouse
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007



Re: Meks Trustlink (Private) Nigeria Ltd., et al. v. M/V MSC NAPOLI et al.
07 CV 08345
Our File No.: 08-1819

Honorable Sir:

We are attorneys for the Defendants Metvale Limited and Metvale Limited Partnership and are writing with the consent of all counsel to respectfully request the Pretrial Conference scheduled for May 30, 2008 be adjourned for an additional 60 days. Since our last correspondence, we have reached an agreement in principle with all counsel. We expect that 60 days will be necessary in order to put together an agreement which is acceptable to all clients and counsel so that this matter can then be either stayed or discontinued. This is the parties' first request for an adjournment of the Conference scheduled for this Friday.

We appreciate Your Honor's indulgence in this request.

Respectfully yours,

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A suggestion of settlement having been made, this case is dismissed, subject to restoration by either party within 60 days on notice. All pending court dates are cancelled. The Clerk is directed to close the case.

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Alvin K. Hellerstein, U.S.D.J.
Date: 5/28/08